



WATERWAY CLEAN UP

September 6, 2025 • Madeira Beach Marina

RULES

1. All participants/parties must register either online or at the Madeira Beach Marina, 503 150th avenue.
2. You may register as an individual or as a team of up to 4 people. Prizes will remain the same for each category regardless of individual or team.
3. Prize categories are as follows: most trash, most plastic, most glass, most cigarette butts, oldest beer, most fishing line, strangest item, and people's choice.
4. Event will begin at 6:00 am and "weigh-in" will begin at 12:00pm. You must be in line by 1:00pm to be eligible for prizes.
5. The event will be held at Madeira Beach Marina 503 150th Avenue, Madeira Beach FL, 33708.
6. This is an AMPHIBIOUS roundup. This means you may pick up trash by land and by water. The coastal, intercoastal, beaches and public parks are our focus. Feel free to clean up whatever public areas you like.
7. There will be free ice cream for participants 13 years and younger.
8. There will be 3 judges. All categories will be judged by content and volume.
9. All registered participants will be provided lunch at the "weigh-in".
10. DO NOT bring in any derelict boats, trees, wood-dock debris, or any other potentially dangerous materials.
11. We encourage that you take before and after photos of your cleaning areas. This will help us all show the impact that we are making.

12. Anyone participating in the Derelict Trap Removal MUST register their vessel registration #'s and a float plan with the tournament director of the area in which they will be focused.
13. This tournament is based upon the honor system. Any cheaters will be put in with the rest of the trash!
14. All participants are entered at their own risk. The captain of any vessel is responsible for the safety and behavior of their crew members.
15. **Derelict/Ghost Crab Trap Removal Rules:**

Fishable blue crab traps can also be removed if it lacks more than two of the following items:

In order for a trap to be considered a derelict during the open season, it must meet the following criteria as established in Rule 68B-55.001(3), F.A.C.: Derelict trap means any trap during any closed season for the species, or any fishable trap during the open season that lacks more than two of the following elements:

- a. Buoy
- b. Line
- c. Current FWC issued trap tag

Traps can also be identified by their buoy.

Spiny Lobster endorsement numbers begin with "C" followed by a number.
Stone Crab begin with "X" followed by a number.
Blue Crab begin with "V" followed by a number.
or "R" if recreational

A picture of the inside of the trap is required prior to releasing any fish, crustaceans or other species. We must document all species in the traps by taking a picture and texting it to Indian Rocks Beach Trash Tribe 727-421-3877.